

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL MEMORANDUM

HB 988 - SB 1038

March 22, 2021

SUMMARY OF ORIGINAL BILL: Adds response and operations standards, standards for communications, and records and forms to the types of standards the Emergency Medical Services (EMS) Board can promulgate related to licensure of air ambulance services and special personnel equipment operation and activities.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

IMPACT TO COMMERCE OF ORIGINAL BILL:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (005550): Deletes all language after the enacting clause. Establishes an air ambulance service that solicits air ambulance membership subscriptions, accepts membership applications, or changes membership fees, is an insurer. Requires an air ambulance membership be regulated by the Department of Commerce and Insurance (DCI).

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

Unchanged from the original fiscal note.

Assumption for the bill as amended:

- Passage of the proposed legislation will not have a significant impact to the policies or procedures of the DCI.
- No fiscal impact to state or local government.

IMPACT TO COMMERCE WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

Unchanged from the original fiscal note.

Assumption for the bill as amended:

- The proposed legislation will not have a significant impact on commerce or jobs in Tennessee.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Krista Lee Carsner". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Krista Lee Carsner, Executive Director

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